



PORT OF MILLOM

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1967

SECTION 1 - STAFF

TABLE A.

Name of Officer	Nature of appointment	Date of appointment	Qualifications	Any other appointments held
W. S. SLATER	Medical Officer of Health	1. 3. 66.	M.B., Ch.B., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.H.	Deputy Area Medical Officer to 16. 9. 67.

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MILLOM,
Cumberland.

Telephone: MILLOM 250.

SECTION II - Amount of Shipping Entering the District during the Year

TABLE B.

Ships from	Number	Tonnage	Number Inspected		Number of ships reported as having of having had, during the voyage, infectious diseases on board.
			By the Medical Officer of Health	By the Chief Public Health Inspector	
Foreign Ports	-	-	-	-	-
Coastwise	14	7,121	-	-	-

SECTION III - Character of Shipping and Trade during the Year

TABLE C.

Passenger Traffic	Number of Passengers	INWARDS:	NIL.
	Number of Passengers	OUTWARDS:	
Cargo Traffic	Principal IMPORTS:	NIL.	
	Principal EXPORTS:	Pig Iron, Ingot Moulds, Slate.	
	Principal Ports from which Ships arrive :	LIVERPOOL, DUBLIN, BELFAST.	

SECTION IV - Inland Barge Traffic.

There is no inland barge traffic.

SECTION V - Water Supply.

1. The source of supply for (a) the district and (b) shipping, is from the Millem Town's Supply, which is chlorinated.
2. During the year, 42 bacteriological examinations were made of water from the supply, all but 6 were "excellent".
3. Hydrants and hosepipes are frequently flushed through.
4. There are no water boats.

SECTION VI - Public Health (Ships) Regulations, 1952.

1. The Epidemiological Record of the World Health Organisation is received weekly and filed for reference. As the Boats arriving at Millem Port are only Cargo and Coastal, no list of infected areas is prepared.
2. There is no radio station at the port.
3. Notifications of ships entering the port are received by post.
4. There are Three Mooring Stations at the Pier.

5. (a) Infectious diseases would be accommodated at the West Cumberland Hospital, Hensingham, Whitehaven.
- (b) Contacts would be followed up by the Medical Officer of Health.
- (c) Cleansing and disinfection of ships, persons, clothing and other articles would be carried out by the Public Health Department of this Authority.

SECTION VII - Smallpox.

1. Smallpox cases would be sent to the Langley Park Hospital, Co. Durham. In the event of a major outbreak, Longtown Hospital, would be also called into action.
2. The Durham County Ambulance Service (Durham 4488) is responsible for conveying all cases to Langley Park Hospital. The ambulance crew have all been vaccinated and the matter is kept under review.
3. Smallpox consultant available :-

Dr. D.G. Davies, Pathology Laboratory, Cumberland Infirmary,
CARLISLE, Cumberland. Tel: CARLISLE, 23444.

4. Facilities for laboratory diagnosis of smallpox are available at the Pathological Laboratory, Cumberland Infirmary, Carlisle.

SECTION VIII - Venereal Disease.

Venereal diseases would be treated at centres in Whitehaven or Barrow-In-Furness. Days and times of clinics are as follows :-


Devonshire Road I.D. Hospital,	Mondays	1815 hours (Male & Female)
Barrow-In-Furness.	Wednesdays	1030 hours (Male)
	Wednesdays	1400 hours (Female)

(Emergencies seen at any time provided that they have a doctor's note).

West Cumberland Hospital,
Hensingham, Whitehaven.

Monday afternoons.

Any case requiring in-patient treatment would be admitted to the West Cumberland Hospital.



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SECTION IX - Cases of Notifiable and other Infectious Diseases on Ships.

NIL.

SECTION X - Observations on the Occurrence of Malaria in Ships

There were no cases of Malaria.

SECTION XI - Measures taken against Ships Infected with or Suspected for Plague

There were no ships infected with or suspected for Plague.

SECTION XIII - Measures taken against Rodents in Ships from Foreign Ports.

1. All ships from foreign ports are inspected by the Medical Officer of Health and/or the Chief Public Health Inspector.
2. Bacteriological and pathological examinations of rodents would be carried out at the Cumberland Pathological Laboratory, Carlisle.
3. Any ship requiring deratting would be dealt with by the Port Health Authority, Barrow-In-Furness, which is the nearest approved port.
4. As no food is imported and there are no warehouses at the dock, further rat-proofing is not considered necessary.

TABLE E.

Rodents Destroyed during the Year on Ships from Foreign Ports.

NIL

TABLE F.

Deratting Certificates and Deratting Exemption Certificates Issued during the Year for Ships from Foreign Ports.

NIL

SECTION XIII - Inspection of Ships for Nuisances

TABLE G.

Inspections and Notices.

NIL.

SECTION XIV - Public Health (Shell-Fish) Regulations 1934 and 1948.

There are shell-fish beds within the jurisdiction of the Public Health Authority and these are liable to pollution. The Duddon Estuary (shell-fish) Regulations, 1926, are still in force.

SECTION XV - Medical Inspection of Aliens

This port is not approved for the landing of aliens.

SECTION XVI - Miscellaneous.

The Local Authority would see to the proper interment of any dead.
